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FOR NEA/PAB, SCHIFFERDECKER FROM CURRAN

1. DURING AUTUMN VISIT OF MRS. BERNICE HEMPHILL, PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN WOMEN FOR INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING, MRS. ALI NAWAZ, WIFE OF THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND PROMINENT LEADER IN WOMENS AFFAIRS IN AFGHANISTAN, MADE SPECIAL POINT OF BEING HOSPITABLE TO MRS. HEMPHILL AND HER COLLEAGUES. THIS INCLUDED TOUR GUIDING, TRANSLATION, AND CONSIDERABLE TIME INVESTMENT SPENT DISCUSSING POSSIBLE NEW PROGRAMS.

2. THIS WEEK MRS. NAWAZ MENTIONED TO ME THAT SHE HAS NOT HEARD ANYTHING FROM THE GROUP SINCE THIER DEPARTURE. I EXPLAINED THAT MRS. HEMPHILL HAD BEEN CORRESPONDING WITH MR. ALBRIGHT, OUR CAO, AND THAT ONE OF THE GROUP HAD PASSED AWAY IN THE INTERIM (MRS. CAMP) AND ALL OF US HERE WERE DEEPLY GRATEFUL FOR MRS. NAWAZ'S HELP.

3. IF YOU THINK IT IS FEASIBLE, WOULD YOU CONSIDER CALLING MRS. HEMPHILL AND ASKING WHETHER MRS. NAWAZ HAD BEEN INCLUDED IN THE FOLLOW-UP LETTERS AFTER THE AFGHANISTAN VISIT? OF COURSE, IT IS POSSIBLE THAT A LETTER WAS SENT AND WAS NEVER RECEIVED HERE. WE HAVE FOLLOWING TELEPHONE NUMBERS FOR MRS. HEMPHILL: (415) 567-6400 AND (415) 921-7108.

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